BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

| through V pertaining to Medicare Part D Low Income Subsidies |) NOTICE OF ADOPTION) |
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| TO: All Interested Persons | |
| 1. On December 8, 2005, the Department of Public Health and Human Services published MAR Notice No. 37-362 pertaining to the public hearing on the proposed adoption of the above-stated rules relating to Medicare Part D Low Income Subsidies, at page 2423 of the 2005 Montana Administrative Register, issue number 23. | |
| 2. The Department has adopted new rules I (37.81.9004), II (37.81.9005), III (37.81.9006), IV (37.81.9009), and V (37.81.9010) as proposed. | |
| 3. No comments or testimony were received. | |
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| /s/ Dawn Sliva Rule Reviewer | /s/ John Chappuis for Director, Public Health and Human Services |

Certified to the Secretary of State February 13, 2006.